



PATENT

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PATENT EXAMINING OPERATION

Applicant(s): Brian J. BALIN

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For: **TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated July 11, 2003, the time for responding thereto being extended in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, Applicants respond as follows: